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MIRAGE

Ladder of Education--Ladder of Success

"The rung of a ladder was never meant to rest upon but only to hold a man's foot long enough to enable him to put the other somewhat higher." Thus man climbs the ladder to success—the ladder of education. When the first free men settled in America, they realized the importance of education and soon the little red school house appeared. Here, huddled together in one small room, children of all ages were taught the faithful stand-bys, "Readin', Ritin', and 'Rithmetic," the three "R's". With the growth of a great democratic nation grew education, and soon many new fields of learning branched from the three fundamental "R's". Thus new rungs were added to the ladder of education, and each new rung enabled man to climb a little higher. Let us trace for you the building of the educational ladder in New Haven.

In the year 1885 the first rung was placed in the ladder when the old New Haven school building was established on Middle Street in New Haven. Because only three grades of high school were taught, the seniors had to attend another school to complete their education. However, in 1911 another rung was added to the ladder when all grades were included.

In 1911 there was an enrollment of about forty or fifty students. Mr. B. H. Smith and Miss Irma Shordon were the only teachers, and in 1913 the first graduating class had completed it's work. Those receiving the first diplomas were Thomas Harlor, Ester (Brudi) Elson, and Inoy and Hazel Garrell.

As the years rolled on, a greater number of pupils entered school, and conditions became so crowded that a new building was demanded. Therefore, in 1922 another rung was added to the ladder of education when the corner stone was laid for the present New Haven High School, situated on Broadway extended. In 1923 the new building was completed.

In 1936 another rung was added to the ladder when the present gymnasium building was added. Before this building was added, the auditorium was used as the gymnasium. About the same year a self-supporting cafeteria was sponsored by the Parent Teachers Association.

The present New Haven High School is the outcome of this gradual improvement throughout the years. This modern school system is in the capable hands of its principal, Byron E. Downey; its trustee, Lee Burgette; and its twenty-six teachers.

There were only 110 pupils enrolled in the New Haven High School in 1911; but now there is an enrollment of 748; 404 in the grades and 344 in the high school. In 1913 there were only four members in the first graduating class, but in 1942 there were 87 members. Thus through these figures can be seen the great educational ladder built for the New Haven youth.

New Haven is a progressive community, and new rungs are yet to be added to the ladder of education. At the present time, plans for a new school building are being considered. Rungs will continue to be added, and the youth of New Haven will climb higher and higher on the ladder of education—the ladder to success!

—Maxine Chancellor

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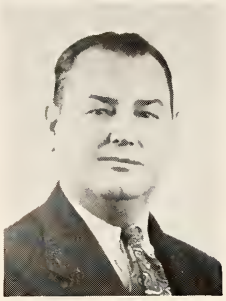
DEDICATION

The 1945 Mirage is dedicated by the Staff to their former principal, Lt. Young, and to the graduates of N. H. H. S. now serving our country in the Armed forces.

Our dedication would not be complete without remembering those who once walked the halls of N. H. H. S. and now have given their lives that we might live.

T. Paul Morris, S 2/c (G. M.) Richard D. Miller, F 2/c
Pvt. Richard Jump
Pvt. Donald W. Spohr William H. Scott, F 2/c (E. M.)

ADMINISTRATION



MR. KELRO WHITEMAN—County Superintendent

Mr. Whiteman is the leader and guide of the Allen County Schools. His office is in the court house. We find that he is a man well deserving of his position.

MR. BYRON E. DOWNEY—Principal

Mr. Downey has led us through another progressive year. Mr. Downey has been principal two years. We are fortunate in having in our high school one who has administered unselfishly to the interests of the students.

MR. LEE BURGETTE—Township Trustee

Mr. Burgette is Adams Township trustee and his office is in his home. He has cooperated with us all to the utmost.

FACULTY

Top row:
Opal Bower—Social Science, Biology, Junior Sponsor.
Carl Buffenbarger—Physical Education, Freshman Sponsor.
Harriet Daniels—English, Student Council.
Everett Frock—Social Science, Junior Sponsor.
Klara Hill—Business Education, Sophomore Sponsor.

Middle row:
Evelyn Knull—English, Masque and Gavel, Senior Sponsor.
Elizabeth Leaird—Business Education, Mirage.
Earl Marshall—Mathematics, Senior Sponsor.
Gerald Miller—Band, Chorus, Instrumental Music.
Wanda Nowels—Physical Education, Sophomore Sponsor.

Bottom row:
Leslie Pensinger—Industrial Arts, Shop.
Delia Redman—Science, Mathematics, Freshman Sponsor.
Virginia Royster—Home Economics, Freshman Sponsor.
Rowena Walker—English, Latin, Library, Sophomore Sponsor.
Evelyn Walter—Art, Grade Music and Art.

CHICAGO WELCOMES YOU

History of the Class of '45

This history begins way back in the year 1941, when 115 "timid" freshmen entered the stately halls of New Haven High School. At that time this class had four long tedious years to wade through before they could proudly walk down those steps on Commencement night and receive their hard-earned diplomas.

This class of '45 was given two unforgettable sponsors: Miss Peggy Sue Leininger and Mr. Earl Marshall. At their first class meeting the freshmen chose class officers as follows: Vivian Mehring, President; Lyle Ramsey, Vice-President; Lucille Hathaway, Secretary; and Dick Adams, Treasurer. These freshmen began their activities for the year by being first to give a skating party at Bell's Rink. Their party was a great success, for they sold over three hundred tickets, the most ever sold in the history of the school.

These freshmen forgot their timidity when the sale of basketball season tickets was presented to them. With a little coaching from their sponsors, the class of '45 was very hard to beat.—Yes! they were beaten, but they received $2.50 for being second in the contest.

As they again wended their way down the path to the high school in the fall of 1942, just eighty-two of the "originals" appeared, who were determined to be in the graduating class of 1945.

With the aid of their ever-faithful sponsors they elected Charles Romine, President; Dick Miller, Vice-President; Marcille Bearman, Secretary; and Jack Birt, Treasurer, to help lead them through this second year, so that eventually their efforts would bring them happily to that final day of victory.

The day before school was closed for summer vacation the class enjoyed a wiener bake at Schnelker's Woods.

Seventy-two juniors returned to their classes in the fall of 1943, and the sponsors continued their fine job by helping the students to choose the class officers for their most eventful year. Charles Romine was chosen President; Richard Henderson, Vice-President; Lucille Hathaway, Secretary; and Elvin Meyer, Treasurer.

These juniors were in charge of the canteen for the first half of the year, but their profits were enough by that time that they were able to pass the canteen on to the other organizations of the school.

In December of this year their sponsor, Miss Leininger, left them when she became Mrs. Ferrey. The juniors were very sad when the final day of parting came, for each realized he was losing a good friend and a wonderful sponsor. Miss Evelyn Knull took up the position left by Miss Leininger and she proved to be very willing and successful.

In the fall these juniors had good fortune enough to win the sale of basketball season tickets. In the spring of this year the future class of '45 proudly carried the trophy from the Class Tourney to the show case in the upper hall.

The "Prom" was of major interest to this class of juniors. They and their sponsors spent much time and work on this Prom, for which they received many compliments. The Queen was Ladonna Coonrod, and her attendants from this class were Jean Bowser and Charlene Stoneburner.

In the fall of 1944, the year they had so long anticipated, just sixty-five seniors trod down that old familiar path to those much-loved halls of New Haven High, but five of their former classmates had gone to serve Uncle Sam. Dick Miller, Paul Morris, and Bill Scott in the Navy; Dick Jump and Don Spohr, in the army, are serving on the war front so that the rest of their fellow students might complete their education. Also in March Jack Birt left for Marine service. At the time of writing this history, Don Cheviron and Elmer Remenschneider, who have been sworn into the Navy, are awaiting their call.

Just one thought saddened the smiling faces of those happy carefree classmates. It was "Graduation". They seemed to dread the thought of their last trip down to the canteen and their last assembly, for it meant the end of their high school career. They knew those days could never be replaced or relived.

During the final year their sponsors continued to show the same enthusiasm and eagerness to work for and with the class as had been shown in previous years. Saddening thoughts dared not stop them in school activities for, after all, they were "Seniors." This fine group of officers was elected by the senior class: President, Dick Henderson; Vice-President, Bob Bruick; Secretary, Maxine Chancellor; and Treasurer, Lyle Ramsey.

Their first social get-together was a wiener bake held October 18, at the Conservation Club House. The honor guest was one of their former classmates, Dick Miller, who is now serving his country in the United States Navy. This class of '45 felt that they should remember their fellow students who are in the services, so they packed a box for each service boy at Christmas time.

In one of the March class meetings, it was voted to contribute seventy-five dollars towards the purchase of a sound projector for the school. At this same meeting Bernice Lepper and Roberta Liggett were elected attendants for the annual Prom.

Soon this class of '45 will bid "Farewell" to the faculty, the under-classmen, and their sponsors, but they shall never bid "Farewell" to the memories they cherish of the good old times spent together as a class.

SENIORS

Richard Adams—"Dick"

Basketball—softball
Letterman's club
Masque & Gavel—Band
Join the navy
"Accentuate the Positive"

Roland Arnold—"Arnie"

Basketball—softball
Letterman's club
Mirage
Drug store proprietor
"It Had To Be You"

Barbara Asher—"Barb"

Masque & Gavel—Band
Sunshine
Nursing
"Honey Song"

Don Bauserman—"Bossy"

Mechanic
"Always"

Marcille Bearman

—"Mack"
G. A. A.—Sunshine
To be Mrs. Don Miller
"My Shining Hour"

Jack Birt—"Jackson"

Basketball—softball
Letterman's club
Masque & Gavel
Left for Marines
March 12

Paul Bleke

Intramural
Farmer
"I'll Walk Alone"

Iona Bohn—"Sandy"

G. A. A.—Sunshine
Chorus—Masque & Gavel—Mirage
A successful organ grinder.
Romberg's "One Alone"

Joseph Bolyard—"Joe"

Basketball—softball
Letterman's club
Chorus—Mirage
Masque & Gavel
Own a race horse
"It Had To Be You"

Jean Bowser—"Jeannie"

Mirage Editor
Sunshine
To travel
"Star Dust"

Robert Bruick—"Bob"

Sr. class Vice-President
Student Council
Discontinue being a bachelor
"Dance With a Dolly"

Dorothy Buhr—"Dot"

Sunshine—Mirage
Be a secretary
"Onward Christian Soldier"

Alvin Burkett—"Al"

(Withdrew January 19)

Ted Butt

Basketball
Letterman's club
Band—Masque & Gavel
To be a flier
"There Goes That Song Again"

Maxine Chancellor

-"Max"
Sr. class Secretary
Associate ed. of Bulldog's Bark
Sunshine—Muncie 1, 2
To go to Alaska
"One O'clock Jump" and "Rhapsody in Blue"

Don Cheviron—"Tilt"

Intramural
Sworn in the Navy
Feb., 1945

Note: The seniors have given the following information: Name, nickname, organizations of senior year, ambitions, and their favorite song.

"SAY IT THE SENIOR WAY"

Senior class meeting.....“Hail, Hail, The Gang’s All Here”
Senior pictures.....“No! NO! No!”
Senior invitations.....“Please Don’t Say No”

SENIORS

LaDonna Coonrod

—"Coonie"
Sunshine
Traveling
"Whispering"

Gloria Dressen—"Mamie"

Student Council
Be a telephone operator
"Together"

Genevieve Ehinger

—"Ginny"
Sunshine—G. A. A.
Office work
"I Dream of You"

Gladys Fiedler—"Blondie"

Sunshine—G. A. A.
To own a beauty shop
"Always"

Evelyn Forsyth—"Suzy"

Sunshine
Cadet Nurse
"Had a Little Talk With the Lord"

Kathleen Goeglein—"Kate"

Sunshine—Mirage—
G. A. A.
Typist in Washington
"The Very Thought of You"

Ellen Griffith—"Bug"

Marriage
"I'll Walk Alone"

Russell Griffiths—"Russ"

Band—Masque & Gavel
Replace Tommy Dorsey
"Don't Fence Me In"

Lucille Hathaway—"Foggy"

Sunshine—Mirage—
Masque & Gavel
Secretary
"There Goes That Song Again"

Jean Hawk—"Mom"

Mirage
To see Van Johnson in person
"I Should Care"

Richard Henderson—"Dick"

Student Council
Senior class President
To be a flier
"Don't Fence Me In"

Rita Jean Henry

Sunshine
Sing over the radio
"Sleigh Ride in July"

Donald Hill—"Don"

Mirage
To be a flier
"Sentimental Journey"

Wayne Judt—"Hoover"

Softball—basketball
Letterman's club
Prospective farmer
"It Had To Be You"

Alvena Kanning—"Shorty"

Sunshine
Private secretary
"I'll Walk Alone"

Charles Klenke—"Zeke"

Baseball
Letterman's club
Factory worker
"I'll Walk Alone"

Senior day ..... "Forget-Me-Not"
Seniors forking out money ..... "More and More"
Seniors high school memories ..... "Always"
Baccalaureate ..... "Closer and Closer"

SENIORS

Kathleen Koehlinger

—"Kate"
G. A. A.
Nurse
"A Little On The Lonely Side"

Elaine Lampe—"Shorty"

Cadet nurse
"Together"

Alvin Lepper—"Al"

Stay out all night
"Star Dust"

Bernice Lepper—"Bunny"

To fly an airplane
"There Goes That Song Again"

Roberta Liggett—"Bobbie"

Flint—1, 2
To fly an airplane
"I'm Making Believe"

Virgil McIntosh—"Mac"

Intramural
Draftsman
"I'll Get By"

Vivian Mehring—"Viv"

Band—Sunshine
Pharmacist
"Star Dust"

Phyllis Menking
—"Minnie"

Sunshine—G. A. A.
Cadet Nurse
"I Dream of You"

Elvin Meyer—"Elvie"

Basketball—baseball—softball
Letterman's club
Play ball with Brooklyn Bims
"I Dream of You"

Leona Momper—"Sugar"

Mirage—Sunshine
Private secretary
"Always"

Marjorie Myers—"Marge"

Band—Sunshine—
G. A. A.
Masque & Gavel
To discover my talents
"Always"

Lois Oberlin—"Lewie"

G. A. A.
Private secretary
"Together"

Lyle Ramsey—"Squirt"

Masque & Gavel
Student Council
Senior class Treasurer
Orchestra leader
"Star Dust"

Virginia Reed—"Ginny"

Sunshine—Editor of Bulldog's Bark
To go to college
"Always"

Elmer Remenschneider—

"Bud"
Sworn in the Navy Feb. 27.
To become a Lt. Commander
"I Dream of You"

Audine Roemer—"Dean"

Office work
"I'll Walk Alone"

To the Freshmen of "45"..... "Somebody Else Is Taking Your Place"
As we SENIORS of "45" leave N. H. H. S..... "Miss You"
Saying "Farewell" to all..... "Till We Meet Again"
"GRADUATION" ..... "TOGETHER"

SENIORS

Charles Romine—"Chuck"

Masque & Gavel—
Mirage
Student Council
Student Manager
Electrical engineer
"My Dreams Are Getting Better"

Donald Rose—"Don"

Intramural
Lawyer
"It Had To Be You"

Stanley Rosswurm
—"Stan"

Baseball
Draftsman
"Sweet and Lovely"

Erhart Scheeler
—"Amelia"

Band
Serve Uncle Sam
"Der Feuhers Face"

Willard Scott—"Bud"

Army life
"Put Your Arms Around Me"

Phyllis Shadle—"Phil"

Sunshine
Office work
"Holiday for Strings"

Robert Sipe—"Bob"

Civil Service (Washington)
"Pistol Packin' Mama"

Margery Springer
—"Marge"

Sunshine—G. A. A.
Chorus
Private secretary
"I Dream of You"

Norma Stegmann
—"Norm"

Sunshine—Mirage
An expert cyclone rider
"Trolley Song"

Wayne Stellhorn—"Pinky"

Basketball—softball
Letterman's club
Join the Marines
"Always"

Laura Stemmler

Band—G. A. A.
Defense work
"I Dream of You"

Lorenze Stemmler
—"Cooney"

Basketball—baseball
Letterman's club
Join the Navy
"Accentuate the Positive"

Charlene Stoneburner
—"Stub"

Sunshine—G. A. A.
To be wife of Jack Dillon
"Bb Concerto"

Jane Thimlar—"Janie"

Sunshine
Factory work
"I'll Walk Alone"

Delores Van Meter
—"Van Meter"

G. A. A.—Sunshine
Nurse
"Don't Fence Me In"

AFTER WE'RE GONE.....“PLEASE THINK OF US”
Senior dedication to our SPONSORS.....“THANKS FOR THE MEMORIES”
Senior dedication to the FACULTY....(No song expresses our gratitude for all of you, so all we can say from the bottom of OUR HEARTS is “THANKS for EVERYTHING”)

DEPARTMENTAL DRAMAS

Miss Daniels — Miss Knull — Miss Walker — Miss Walter

ENGLISH DEPARTMENT—The English department of New Haven consists of grades seven to twelve. Miss Daniels is the supervisor of the department with Miss Knull, Miss Walker, and Miss Eichel teaching the various other subjects. The entire department consist of four hundred and thirty pupils. Speech and journalism are also included in this course, and both are one-semester courses. Journalism is a new course this year, and the objective of the class is to start a school paper.

—Jean Hawk

LATIN DEPARTMENT—Our two Latin classes are instructed by Miss Walker. The first year class, consisting of forty students, made as their special project Christmas greetings. The ten students making up the second-year class each handed in a 1500-word term paper. Soon they will start on the translation of popular songs into Latin.

—Norma Stegmann

LIBRARY—Our school has a library to be proud of. We have 850 books, including five sets of encyclopedias. All books were bought by the school except a copy of Shakespeare, which was presented to the school by the Fort Wayne Alumnae chapter of Alpha Omicron Pi in honor of Lt. James Krueck. Joan Tilbury, Lucille Schmidt, Evanell Bordner, Evelyn Forsyth, LaVern Vaughn, Sally Straub and Virginia Reed are student librarians.

—Charles Romine and Virginia Block

ART DEPARTMENT—Both boys and girls enjoy the art classes in New Haven. Because of its informal and recreational qualities, the class room and supply room are filled with art students each period. The instructor, Miss Evelyn Walter, directs us in our art work and in our study of famous paintings. The school furnishes all of our art supplies, including the privilege of using oil paints. We are just one big happy family.

—Virginia Reed

Sponsored by New Haven Beauty Shop

DEPARTMENTAL DRAMAS

Mr. Marshall — Mrs. Redman — Miss Royster — Mr. Pensinger

MATHEMATICS—There are more students taking mathematics this year than before because of the demands of the War Department. Beginning and advanced algebra, plane and solid geometry, and general mathematics are offered. There are approximately two hundred students taking mathematics this year. Due to this fact, it is expected that more pupils than ever should be able to draw a straight line and count to one hundred.

Roberta Liggett and Rita Henry

SCIENCE—The science department includes biology, chemistry, and physics. These courses are taught by Mrs. Redman and Miss Bower. Biology is required of all freshmen, and this year there are one hundred fifteen students in this course.

Chemistry is composed of a class of fifteen; fifteen are also enrolled in the physics class.

—Gladys Fiedler and Phyllis Menking

HOME ECONOMICS DEPARTMENT—This department under the direction of Miss Royster consists of four classes: first year sewing and cooking for freshmen, advanced sewing, advanced cooking and home nursing.

A county nurse teaches the girls in home nursing and making of beds, giving of baths, bathing the baby, and taking temperatures. Each girl in turn must return the demonstration. The girls learn of different diseases and their cures, and the value of balanced diets.

—Phyllis Shadle

INDUSTRIAL ARTS—In the woodworking shop under the direction of Mr. Pensinger, the boys are making everything from kitchen stools to kneehole desks. N. H. H. S. can be proud of its well-organized shop classes.

Mr. Pensinger's classes in mechanical drawings are paving the way for future engineers. In the advanced drawing class some boys are taking engineering drawing while others are taking architectural drawing. These boys should have a good background for their future careers.

—Stan Rosswurm

JUNIORS

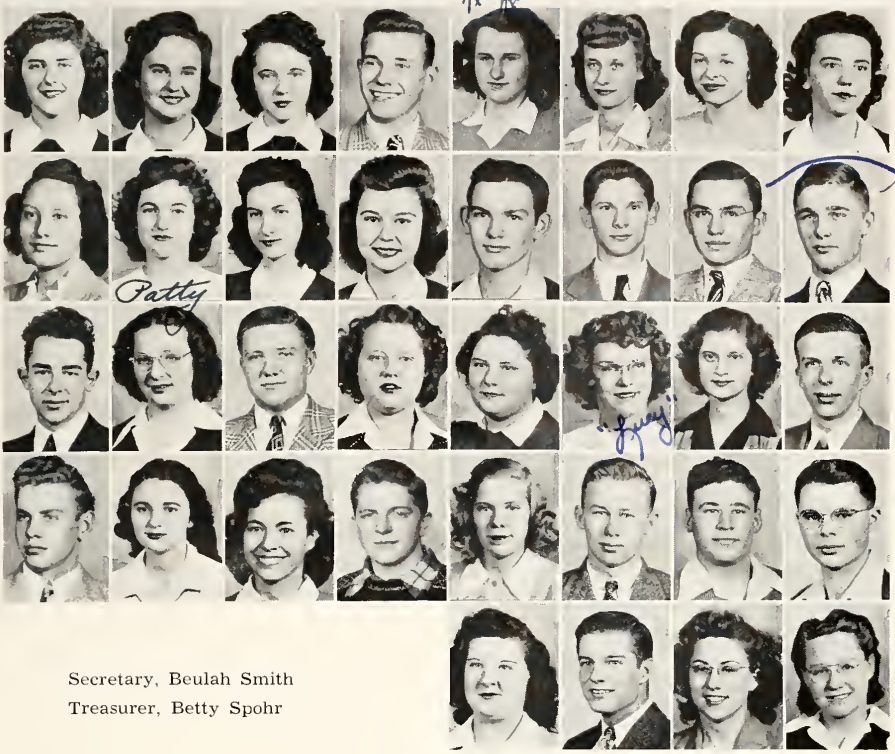
President, Allen Bremer

Vice-President, Betty Campbell

Jacqueline Baillie—A grand kid.
Sharon Baltes—"Kind of late for the first time, Jack."
Louena Bearman—Sugar and Spice, and everything nice.
Howard Beasley—"Oh, that blue-eyed blonde!"
Delores Becraft—That cute, new girl from Elmhurst.
Maxine Bixler—Shy and sweet.
Virginia Block—Our Fort Wayne gal.
Evanell Bordner—"H" stands for Hoagland, also Hisner.
Helen Bradtmueller—Quiet-like.
Allen Bremer—Where there are girls, there's Allen.
George Bremer—Army life for him.
June Brinkman—The Belle of Bell's.
Betty Campbell—"Camel" to all.
Jack Critchfield—Always ready for an argument.
Delores Doctor—Scholar of the junior class.
Kathryn Doty—Rarely heard from.
Don Emenhiser—Wait til you know him!
Wayne Franke—Watch out, girls!
Viola Frosch—"Did you hear about my operation?"
Don Fry—Student Council "Quiz Kid."
Edward Fultz—"Give me a blonde with a dollar bill in her hand.
Charlotte Garwood—20-20.
Margie George—"Roy's in the Army now."
Carol Girardot—Blondie.
Jack Glaze—"The world is a big happy play ground."
Leonard Goeglein—His favorite subject—GIRLS.
Frances Hawk—Easy to get along with.
Joan Hawkins—The girl with the smile.
Betty Hazelett—Always ready, willing, and able.
Gloria Heemsoth—Popular.
Joan Heine—"Can't Make Up My Mind."
Margaret Hemsoth—Swell personality.
Harry Hilgeman—Jeanie with the light brown hair.
Margie Hoevel—"Will Someone PLEASE introduce me to Kenny?
Jack Hoffman—The Wolf.

Sponsored by New Haven Bakery

JUNIORS



Secretary, Beulah Smith

Treasurer, Betty Spohr

Anita Horman—A great dancer.
Betty Judt—Sweet and Lovely.
Eileen Judt—"Oh, my, Windy."
Ray Kallmeyer—An eligible bachelor, girls.
Kathryn Koester—Likes sports.
Pat Krominaker—"Don't let anyone read that note, Howard."
Phyllis Liggett—The quiet girl of history class.
Elma Linnemeier—Murphy's star clerk.
Rita Lunz—Mary's shadow.
Kathleen Mack—"How do you spell a low whistle?"
Glaradine McCullough—Not heard.
Jeanette Minick—"Where is Jerry from, Hoagland?"
John Morris—Typical (?) example of a preacher's son.
Paul Mourey—"Mousie."
Norman Oberlin—Oh, Ruthie.
Harold Poeppel—"Is Ozzie still around?"
John Proegler—"Lois has a lovely ring, hasn't she?"
Maxine Rathbun—Gadgets in jewelry are up her alley.
Herman Rebber—Shad-up.
Georgian Rohrbach—"Georgie."
Clarabelle Romine—"Tessie."
Lucille Schmidt—"Lucy."
Ruth Schnelker—Star of the gym class.
Henry Schnorr—Rhumba.
Bob Schrage—Tall, blonde, and handsome.
Beulah Smith—Still—"OH Johnny."
Betty Spohr—She rates!
George Stauffer—Basketball star.
Eleanor Stoneburner—Small but Mighty.
Jim Strader—The Romeo.
Wayne Strader—More fun and laughter.
Howard Tatman—He favors Hoagland.
Joan Tilbury—Personality plus.
Bernard Vodde—Lady killer.
Lois Whitacre—Jack plays mean ping-pong.
Mary Witmer—The piano virtuoso.

September and October

Dear Jack,

On September 5, our summer vacation came to an end, and we picked up our beloved books and started back to school. Of course, our teachers were very glad to see all of the old headaches again, and to welcome the green little freshmen.

On the 13th our Fall Convocation was held during activity period. Reverend Ehrman was the speaker. er.

On the evening of the 21st the Sunshine Society held its annual Dinky Formal Party. Eleanore Kitchen, Barbara Knox, and Mary Ann Long received all day suckers for having the most unusual costumes. Eleanore was a doctor, Barbara a nurse, and Mary Ann (of all things) was a baby in a carriage.

The Mirage Staff held its first meeting on the 27th, and the Sunshine initiation was held during activity period on October 5.

On October 6 the senior class began to feel that they were really seniors and started looking at invitations and name cards. On the 18th, the seniors had a class party at the Conservation Club where they stuffed themselves with hot dogs, candy, cider, potato chips, and pumpkin pie.

On the 20th we were ably entertained by the band. Joe Bolyard did a fine job announcing the program. The sophomore skating party was held on the 23rd and I personally saw Mr. Miller take a super flop.

Our first vacation came on the 26th and 27th with the Teacher's Association. Soon our activities of September and October were at an end, but I'll be around next month.

Bye for now,

Jill

November and December

Dear Jack,

November always seems a busy month and every one soon gets into the full swing of things. On the 3rd our basketball season opened with a win over Decatur Catholic. After the game a stocking dance was held in the gym. The Ramsey-Adams band furnished the music.

Home room 15 gave a Thanksgiving program on the 22nd. Mrs. Herman Brinkley presented a book of Shakespeare's works to the school in honor of Lt. James W. Krueck, a graduate, who was killed in action.

On Nov. 24 the juniors had their skating party.

On December 12 and 13, school was dismissed because of bad weather.

Some of the seniors got their class pictures on the 20th. The ones I saw were very good, but I wonder why Jack Birt and Alvena Kanning wouldn't open theirs.

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"The Christmas Carol" was given on the 21st by the members of the Masque and Gavel. The program was very well done.

December 22 was our last day of school for the year. Everyone met in the auditorium the second period and sang Christmas carols. Each home room had a party, with treats and exchanges. School was dismissed at noon and we were told not to come back until 1945.

Merry Christmas,
Jill

January

Dear Jack,

We started our new year out with an extra week of vacation because of bad weather. We did start on the 9th and learned that in the spring we would have to make up the time we had lost.

Arcola and Huntertown started the County Tourney on the 17th. New Haven played Friday night, and we trimmed Harlan 63-27. The finals were played on Saturday night with Leo defeating the Bulldogs 37-43.

Elvie was high scorer of the county at the beginning of the tournament with 214 points. Pinky and Elvie made the all-county team this year as guard and center, and Ted Butt and Dick Adams received honorable mention.

On the 26th the juniors gave a program during activity period.

The juniors and seniors had their class pictures taken on the 30th and 31st. I'll be here next month with more.

Bye,
Jill

February

Dear Jack,

The Sunshine sponsored a Valentine dance on the 10th. The gym was decorated with big red hearts and a white picket fence with love seats on the opposite side of the fence. We danced to the music of Gene Till's orchestra.

Our last game of the season was played on the 16th. We defeated Hoagland 51-23.

On the 18th we had a lot of excitement. The north-west corner of the gymnasium burned. I don't think any one quite realized the value or fully appreciated the gym until now. The questions most prominent in everyone's mind now are "Where is the Prom going to be?" and "Where are the Commencement exercises going to be held?"

Don Cheviron and Bud Remenschneider left for Indianapolis on the 27th to take their physicals for the Navy. They came back on the 29th and we learned that they passed. They are waiting for their call now.

I'll be seeing you next month.

Bye,
Jill

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SOPHOMORES

Cornell Adams—Passwater's shadow.
Ed Anweiler—Oh! Bernice.
Lucian Asher—Ted, Dick, Pete, or who?
Karla Mae Austrup—Small but mighty.
Gracella Bandelier—Which Wayne?
Bernice Bauman—Studies. Ha! Ha!
Joyce Bauserman—Quiet but alert.
Carl Bearman—Pork-er! How about a chance?
Blanche Blackburn—Very quiet.
Henry Bockleman—A farmer.
Lewis Bowser—Eligible bachelor, girls?
Alvin Bradtmueller—Another farmer.
Eugene Bremer—He's nice.
Donna Brueggemann—A Glaze-d look in her eyes.
Rosemary Deitering—Likes people.
Betty Elwood—Likes horses.
Ronald Elwood—Our mechanic.
Evelyn Fiedler—Likes Latin.
Phyllis Forsyth—Always cheerful.
Norma Franke—Where's my man?
Charles Gabet—"Gabby"—Our Sinatra.
Robert Gephart—Bashful before known.
Audrey Gerardot—A cute little brunette.
Allene Gick—Oh! Howard.
Lois Glaze—I love that guy.
Wayne Green—He's not so green.
Eileen Griffith—Oh, Dopey!
Max Hart—He's in the band.
John Hartman—He's new here.
Thelma Harvey—Minnie's twin.
Joe Hathaway—Ginny.
Roger Hauser—Is he really shy?
Bill Hawk—Hip! Hip! Hooray!
George Headford—Good at ad-libbing.
Phyllis Heine—Let's not fight over Hoagland!
Hubert Heller—The life of the class.
Jeanette Henderson—Oh! That red hair!
Delores Hengsteler—Short and sedate.
James Henry—The shy type???
Jean Hoffman—Good things come in small packages.
Eugene Jacquay—Studies never bother him.
John Johnson—Are all the girls afraid of him?
Vivian Johnson—What's this about Max?
James Jump—Always ready for a good time.
Kathryn Kennedy—We can't keep track of all of them.
Eleanor Kitchen—Happy-go-lucky.
Mary Lou Kitzmiller—The little girl who isn't there.
Barbara Knox—"Stan, you are my raindrop."
Rose Lahrman—Always ready to go.
Virginia Koehlinger—Three cheers for the Navy.
Edward Kroemer—Always studies.
Clarence Lange—Growing up fast.
Iva Lou Leonard—Avoids illness.
Edgar Lepper—Quiet till known.
Donald Lewis—Belongs to all of them.
Mary Ann Long—Those brown eyes.
Donald McDonald—Always in a daze.
Dorothy Mehring—Studious and fun.
Marilyn Meyer—Not too shy—just right.
Leonard Niccum—Don't rush so, girls.
Marcile Norden—Ambitious.
Frank Nowak—"A man should not be alone."
Joan Parks—Likes athletics.
Joanna Perrine—New addition to class.
Richard Quance—The Bulldog's waterboy.
Elvera Rebber—Everybody's pal.
Glenn Renno—Another Casanova.
Pat Rowley—Quiet? A riot? Deny it.
Martha Riebersal—She gets around.
Dolores Roemer—Why worry? No future.
James Rose—Zollner Piston.
Dorothy Rosswurm—Which Bulldog is it?
Paul Ruhl—Has a way with girls.
Virgil Schaefer—A quiet lad.
Marilyn Schlaudroff—She's always happy.
Philip Schnelker—Tall, Dark, and Ah!
Harold Schweyer—"Romeo".
Mary Jane Scott—Ah-h Rusty.
Charles Sheefel—Likes girls.
Carolyn Sipe—Ah-h-h Monroeville!
Harold Snyder—Oh! Tyrone!
Loraine Stellhorn—Quiet as a mouse.
Ruth Stemmler—(Ivan) Ivy! Not poison.
Sally Straub—One of our librarians.
Josephine Stuerzenberger—A-D-A fan.
Robert Swartz—How is California.
Patricia Swick—Just Punk!
Melvin Thimlar—Seldom heard in class.
Jean Trammel—Who is it now?
LaVerne Vaughn—Oh! Glenn!
Marian Vonderau—Yes, which one????
Ruth Wiegmann—Oh! Melvin.
Don Wolf—Lives up to his name.

Home Room 11—Mrs. Hill. First row, D. Brueggemann, G. Bandelier, L. Glaze, N. Franke, L. Asher, A. Gick, J. Bauserman, B. Elwood, R. Dietering.

Second row: Mrs. Hill, K. Austrup, A. Gerardot, E. Griffith, P. Forsyth, E. Fiedler, B. Bauman, B. Blackburn.

Third row: E. Bremer, A. Bradtmueller, R. Elwood, C. Bearman, R. Gephart, W. Green, E. Anweiler, H. Bockleman, L. Bowser, C. Adams.

Home Room 14—Mrs. Nowels. First row, I. Leonard, K. Kennedy, M. Meyer, V. Johnson, P. Heine, E. Kitchen, T. Harvey, M. Kitzmiller, B. Knox.

Second row: Mrs. Nowels, W. Hawk, J. Hoffman, R. Lahrman, M. Norden, J. Henderson, M. Long, D. Hengsteler, V. Koehlinger.

Third row: J. Johnson, D. McDonald, E. Lepper, R. Hauser, J. Jump, E. Jacquay, C. Lange, G. Headford, L. Niccum, J. Hathaway, H. Heller, M. Hart, F. Nowak, J. Henry.

Home Room 15—Miss Walker. First row: L. Stellhorn, P. Swick, E. Rebber, L. Vaughn, M. Riebersal, M. Vonderau, J. Perrine, M. Schlaudroff, D. Rosswurm.

Second row: Miss Walker, S. Straub, J. Trammel, M. Scott, C. Sipe, R. Stemmler, R. Wiegmann, D. Roemer, J. Stuerzenberger, J. Parks, Pat Rowley.

Third row: H. Schweyer, H. Snyder, J. Rose, P. Schnelker, G. Renno, D. Wolf, C. Sheefel, P. Ruhl, V. Schaefer, M. Thimlar, R. Swartz, R. Quance.

BAND

Our band, now five and one half years old, is one of the county's finest. This was proved last spring when the band won first division in the State Band Contest. The band is under the direction of Mr. Gerald H. Miller.

This year the band was given a regular class period in which to practice and was made a solid subject.

The band was kept quite busy this year, having an engagement to play two weeks after school started. They play two concerts in the fall for the student body, gave the First Annual Fall concert, played at the Shrine for the opening session of the North Eastern Indiana Teacher's Association. The band also played at all basketball home games and pep sessions, and was the official County Tournament Band. In addition to these events it will also

CONCERT BAND

Front row—Joyce Bauserman, Marjorie Burkett, Betty Fultz, Ruth Stemmler, Barbara Asher.

Second row—Dorothy Rosswurm, Gene Critchfield, Virginia Arnold, Ruth Wiese, Mary Bookout, Joyce Franke, Don Eminhiser, Caroll Griffiths, Erhart Scheeler, Phyllis Seibert, Lucian Asher.

Third row—Ray Kallmyer, Caroll Glaze, Ruth Ann Gabet, Wanda White, Marilyn Meyer, Glenna Arnold, Russell Griffiths, Norma Franke, George Headford, Jack Critchfield, Laura Stemmler, Nancy Van Kirk, Bill Hawk, Max Hart, Wayne Green.

Back row—Vivian Mehring, Roger Hill, Beulah Smith, Josephine Stuerzenberger, Ted Black, Mr. Miller, Audrey Gerardot, Marilyn Garwood, Gloria Heemsoth, Virginia Koehlinger.

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BAND

give its Winter and Spring Formal Concerts, and enter the State Band Contest again this year.

Every year the band elects officers to take care of the many problems that occur. Officers are: Erhart Scheeler, Captain; William Hawk, quartermaster; Barbara Asher, secretary; and Joyce Bauserman, librarian.

The band's formal banquet in May is an occasion that every member looks forward to. At this time the letter awards are given to the seniors and other merit awards are given to the individuals who have earned them.

Six members of the band will graduate this year are: Russell Griffiths, Erhart Scheeler, Ted Butt, Barbara Asher, Vivian Mehring, and Laura Stemmler.

CADET BAND

Front row—Mark Schrock, Phyllis Arnold, Joan Elson, Grace Wiese, Joan Hawk, Lois McFadden, Sally Tilford, Jerry Hazelett, Jimmy Blaising, Terry Smith, Don Ort, Ann Mitchell, Caroline Dahling, Billie Critchfield.

Back row—Marilyn Van Kirk, Mariym Van Kirk, Mary Miller, Martha Morris, Sue Gerardot, Shirly Metzger, Eilene Gephart, Beverly Chaney, Marilyn Gebhart, Vera Butt, Harold Albersmeyer, Wilda Lynn, Frank Forsyth, Caroll Peck, Max Krouter, Vernon Burkett, Dorothy Butler, Fred Dahling, Jerry Carnahan, Dick Locke, Stan Gerardot, Allen Critchfield.

FRESHMEN

Wayne Addis—Having unqualified opinions.
Mary Jo Bales—Good skater.
Miriam Bandelier—Sturdy and smart.
Anna Beckstedt—She misses a lot.
Edgar Bleke—Can hardly hear him.
Hildegard Bleke—A genuine friend.
Flo Rose Bock—Champion roller skater.
Bonnie Bolyard—Has many friends.
Mary Bookout—New edition of the encyclopedia.
Adelia Bradtmueller —Pings and pangs on the piano.
Robert Brincefield—A trick at all trades.
Geroge Brueggemann—A climbing "Sonny Boy".
George Bruick—But dear , , , Yes, me love.
Harold Buhr—A promising Bulldog.
Donald Coulardot—Popular at ball games.
Dallas Cutler—The miniature "he man".
Marie DeWispelear—Loves to chew gum and jabber.
Doris Downs—Starts school with a bang.
Dorothy Downs—Praying for the summer.
Robert Easterday—Airplane builder of tomorrow?
Don Ehle—"Elmer" hails from Milan Center.
Delores Federspiel—Buz! Buz! She lives busily.
David Felt—A popular freshman.
Robert Fleming—The more the merrier.
Mary Francisco—Keeps an eye on "Stutz".
Charles Frock—Chip off the old block.
Betty Fultz—A busy student in all activities.
Ruthann Gabet—Gabbies' sister.
Marilyn Garwood—"Where is Bill?"
Richard Grayless—Little and meek.
Don Hathaway—He's a nice kid.
Donna Heemsoth—Pretty cute, huh, Kenny?
Eugene Herber—All he lacks is a bow tie.
Allen Hill—A little on the silent side.
Roger Hill—Draws for a hobby.
Bernon Huguenard—Short, but he'll grow.
Alden Johanns—Small but mighty.
Patty Kain—An artist in the making.
Jean Kleber—Question and answer girl.
Joan Kleber—The home-room songbird.
Darwin Klenke—Never gets excited.
Wilda Koch—A LeRay fan.
Herman Koenig—He's quiet and nice.
Harry Koester—Gee, what pretty curly hair.
Mary Koester—Tall, dark and quiet.
Mary Sue Kollman—Suzie—Who's Don?
Walter Lampe—He is going to build a castle.
Aiice Liggett—She's a lot of fun.
Kenneth Linn—Happens to be a red-head.
Mary Long—Tall and quiet.
Patricia Lothamer—Pat—and very pretty.
Russell McIntosh—A basketball fan.
Sylvia McKinney—Hails from Georgia.
Rose Maroney—Has a breezy ride to school.
Geraldine Melcher—She can take a joke.
Lavon Miller—He likes Patty too.
Delores Minick—Buries herself in work.
Bernice Nieter—Everybody's gal.
Allen Nyberg—The quiet type.
Harold Parker—Class president.
Howard Passwater—He simply loves school.
Carol Peck—She sure gets around.
Virginia Renno—"Ginnie"—A happy and winning smile.
Gene Rigby—Does he like to do school work!
Arthur Ruoff—A basketball fan.
Ervin Schnelker—A real pal.
Richard Schrader—Likes the girls.
Bill Seelig—He likes to do school work?
Wanda Shirk—A friend to all.
Walt Smith—Likes to tease people.
George Spohr—Another tease.
Beverly Springer—Another artist.
Marvin Stegmann—A good disposition.
Richard Stuerzenberger—A lot of fun.
Lloyd Thomas—A quiet boy.
Barbara Tucker—Oh! That blue satin shirt.
Jean Van Cleve—A nice girl to know.
Gerald Vodde—Has a one-track mind and likes a blonde.
Alma Voght—She is quiet but knows the answer.
John Ward—Who is Doretta, John?
Katherine Wiedmann—A North Side admirer.
Joyce Zehr—Just give me roller skates.
Lester Zehr—Mechanically inclined.
Lawrence Zehrung—A good math student.

Home Ec. Room—Miss Royster. First row: P. Lothamer, M. Koester, W. Koch, M. Long, D. Minick, M. Kollman, D. Meyers, D. Messmann.

Second row: Miss Royster, L. R. Miner, D. Hathaway, S. Hood, Jean Kleber, A. Liggett, R. Maroney, G. Melcher, P. Kain, D. Heemsoth, B. Huguenard, A. Johanns.

Third row: D. Klenke, H. Koester, A. Hill, K. Linn, H. Koenig, R. Hill, Roger Hill, E. Herber, W. Lampe, R. McIntosh, L. Miller.

Home Room 7—Mr. Buffenbarger. First row: Mr. Buffenbarger, B. Bolyard, A. Beckstedt, M. DeWispelear, M. Bandelier, M. Bookout, D. Federspiel, M. Francisco, B. Giessler.

Second row: G. Brueggemann, D. Felt, Doris Downs, D. Downs, A. Bradtmueller, R. Gabet, M. Garwood, H. Bleke, M. Bales, B. Baker, M. Dressen, D. Fultz, P. Bremer, C. Frock, D. Cutler, R. Grayless.

Third row: D. Coulardot, H. Buhr, G. Bruick, D. Feicter, E. Bleke, A. Driscoll, D. Ehle, R. Brincefield, R. Fleming, R. Easterday, W. Grover, K. Augenstein, W. Clevenger.

Home Room 1—Mrs. Redman. First row: G. Oldaker, B. Nieter, D. Schnorr, Mrs. Redman, S. McKinney, J. Parson, W. Shirk, B. Tucker, J. Zehr.

Second row: R. Stuerzenberger, B. Seelig, A. Nyberg, W. Smith, G. Vodde, K. Wiedemann, V. Renno, D. Parker, A. Voght, B. Springer, C. Peck, A. Ruoff, L. Zehrung, M. Stegmann, E. Schoof.

Third row: E. Schnelker, J. Ward, R. Schrader, J. Squire, N. Winchester, G. Spohr, E. Suttor, H. Parker, L. Thomas, R. Moeller, L. Zehr.

DEPARTMENTAL DRAMAS

Mrs. Nowels — Miss Bower — Miss Leaird — Mr. Frock

SOCIAL SCIENCE—Social science includes world history, United States history, government, and citizenship. We have two social science teachers in our school: Miss Bower and Mr. Frock. Mr. Frock teaches both U. S. history and world history. His teaching is frequently interrupted by story telling, for which he is well-known. Miss Bower teaches world history, citizenship, and government. Thanks to Miss Bower, our seniors are well-prepared for life, in that they have a good working knowledge of our government—national, state and city.

Jack Critchfield

BUSINESS EDUCATION—To pupils interested in business education, four courses are offered. Typing consists of first and second year courses. The first year course stresses the mastering of the keyboard, speed and accuracy tests, and personal typing. The second year typing course consist of business letters, manuscript typing, tabulation, office forms and legal documents. Bookkeeping can be of benefit to every individual through the preparation of budgets, reports, income taxes, besides bookkeeping for social organizations and business. Business arithmetic is a refresher course for juniors and seniors in rapid calculation and written problems. The importance of neatness and 100 per cent accuracy is stressed. The business education teachers are Miss Leaird and Mrs. Hill.

—Erhart Scheeler

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ORGANIZATIONS

Jean Bowser—Editor

John Morris—Assistant Editor

MIRAGE STAFF

First row: Norma Stegman, Bob Bruick, Ray Kallmeyer, Charles Romine, Joe Bolyard, Iona Bohn.

Second row: Kathleen Goeglein, Jean Hawk, Dorothy Buhr, Leona Momper, Lucille Hathaway, Jean Bowser, Lois Whitacre, Carolyn Sipe, Miss Leaird.

Top row: Don Hill, John Morris, Roland Arnold.

OBJECT To make a bigger and better book each year.

SPONSOR Miss Leaird.

MEMBERS 20 active members.

ACTIVITIES Managed the canteen during the County Tournament.
Sponsored a snap-shot drive.
Regular meeting time each Wednesday morning.
Getting the **Mirage** to press by April 2.
A party in April.

Note: We wish to thank Mr. Miller for the pictures he took for us.

Sponsored by Moon Printing Co., F. H. Weber

STUDENT COUNCIL

First row: Mary Ann Long, Mary Jo Bales, Ray Kallmeyer, Frank Nowak, Martha Riebersal, Mary Koester.
Standing: Miss Daniels, Allen Bremer, Gloria Dressen, Harold Parker, John Morris, Don Fry, Paul Ruhl, Richard Henderson, Betty Campbell, Charles Romine, Bob Bruick.
Last row: Gerald Vodde, David Felt, Lyle Ramsey.

PURPOSE

To promote school activities, develop a respect for the school property, provide for the general welfare of the Student body, make the school a happy place for mental, moral, and physical development, and to aid the administration in furthering its policies for the betterment of the school.

OFFICERS

President ..... Robert Bruick.
Vice-President ..... Don Fry
Secretary ..... Mary Ann Long.
Treasurer ..... John Morris
Program Chairman ..... Lyle Ramsey
Bond Booth Chairman Richard Henderson

MEMBERS

The president, vice-president, and three representatives from each class—making a total of twenty members.

FACULTY ADVISOR

Miss Harriet Daniels.

ACTIVITIES

Sold U. S. War Bonds and Stamps.
Had a Fall Convocation at which Rev. Wm. J. Ehrman was guest speaker.
Held an Easter Convocation at which Rev. Thurman Morris spoke.
Had a stocking dance on the gym floor after a basketball game in November.
Miss Walker's home room presented the Thanksgiving program in November.
Masque and Gavel presented a Christmas play called "The Christmas Carol."
In January the Juniors had a Benjamin Franklin program.
Mr. Miller and the band gave a musical program in March.
The Sophomores gave the March program.
The April program was given by the Freshmen.
In May the Seniors will hold their annual Senior Day Program.
Managed the Monitor System.
Formed a set of rules for the inter-class tournament.
Formed a set of rules for the lunch room.
Drew up a constitution.

Girls Athletic Association

PURPOSE The object of the G. A. A. is to stimulate interest in girls athletics and to promote ideals of health and sportsmanship through participation by all.

OFFICERS

Delores Van Meter	President
Vice-President	Betty Campbell
Treasurer	Jeanette Henderson
Secretary	Betty Fultz

ADVISOR Mrs. Wanda Nowels.

MEMBERS 89.

ACTIVITIES We have divided our sports into three divisions.
Fall—Softball, archery, volley-ball.
Winter—Dancing, basketball, ping pong, shuffleboard, skating and tumbling.
Spring—Softball, archery, volley-ball and track.

Sponsored by Meyers Cleaners and Furriers

Sunshine Society

PURPOSE Cheery helpfulness and kindness to others.

OFFICERS

President	Marceille Bearman
Vice-President	Betty Campbell
Secretary	Kathleen Mack
Treasurer	Alvena Kanning
Publicity Chairman	Jean Hoffman

ADVISERS Miss Rowena Walker and Miss Virginia Royster.

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MEMBERS 135.

ACTIVITIES

Formal Dinky Party.
Tag Day.
Attended Sunshine District Convention at Ossian.
Thanksgiving party.
Valentine's Dance—Cupid's Ball.
Sold school pennants, basketball schedule pencils and greeting cards.
A point system was adopted this year through which each girl was required to earn 400 points to have her picture appear in the year book. 700 points was required to earn a small Sunshine emblem, and 900 points to earn a large emblem.

Masque and Gavel

Top row—Dick Adams, Jack Birt, Wayne Franke, Howard Tatman, Russell Griffiths.

Second row—Beulah Smith, Marjorie Myers, Joan Heine, Barbara Asher, Evanell Bordner, Lucille Schmidt, Iona Bohn, Lucille Hathaway, Joe Bolyard, Kathryn Koester.

Third row—Herman Rebber, Lyle Ramsey, Ray Kallmeyer, Charles Romine, Jack Critchfield, Betty Judt.

OBJECTIVES

1. To recognize and promote significant student achievement in any area of speech in the high school.
2. To assist the student in raising his standards of speech.
3. To sponsor a better relationship between the high school and its community.

MEMBERSHIP Open to Juniors and Seniors.
38 members.

SPONSOR Miss Evelyn Knull, English and Speech teacher.

ACTIVITIES

Assembly programs.
Parties.
Christmas Play.
Truth and Consequences Program.
Canteen Management for three weeks.
Talent Programs.
Business meeting every two weeks.

Sponsored by Haven Theater

Chorus

Front row—Jean Van Cleve, Lois Whitacre, Joan Parks, Margie Springer, Gracella Bandelier, Rose Maroney, Sylvia McKinney.

Second row—Mr. Miller, Iona Bohn, Jean Kleber, Virginia Renno, Joan Kleber, Virginia Block, Mary Sue Kollman, Pat Rowley, Ann Beckstedt.

Third row—Gerald Vodde, R. Stuerzenberger, R. Schrader, Joe Bolyard, Ed Fultz, Gladys Fiedler, Flo Rose Bock, Marie DeWispelear, Mary Joe Bales.

President ..... Joe Bolyard
Vice-President ..... Iona Bohn
Treasurer ..... Gerald Vodde
Secretary ..... Gracella Bandelier
Librarians ..... Pat Rowley and Joan Parks

After an absence of a year, our chorus is back into our school activities. Chorus meets the first period every day. A number of public appearances were made this year even though the members are only amateurs. The grade school enjoyed a group of numbers at an assembly program in December. The most impressive performance was a student assembly program at which time we sang a selection of numbers. The singing of Christmas Carols after the presentation of "The Christmas Carol" on December 21 proved very popular.

There were sixteen members the first semester and eight new members joined at mid-term, making a total of twenty-four members.

Lettermen's Club

Left to right—Dick Adams, Lorenz Stemmler, Roland Arnold, Jack Glaze, Howard Beasley, Charles Klenke, Elvin Meyer, Wayne Stellhorn, Jack Birt, Stanley Rosswurm, George Stauffer, Joe Bolyard, Wayne Judt.

PURPOSE Creation of better sports in New Haven.

OFFICERS

President	Joe Bolyard
Vice-President	Wayne Judt
Secretary	Wayne Stellhorn
Treasurer	Elvin Meyer

ADVISOR Mr. Carl Buffenbarger.

MEMBERS 13 members.

ACTIVITIES Skating party held the last part of April at Bell's Rink.
Initiation of new members in May.

Sponsored by Henry Schoppman Ins.

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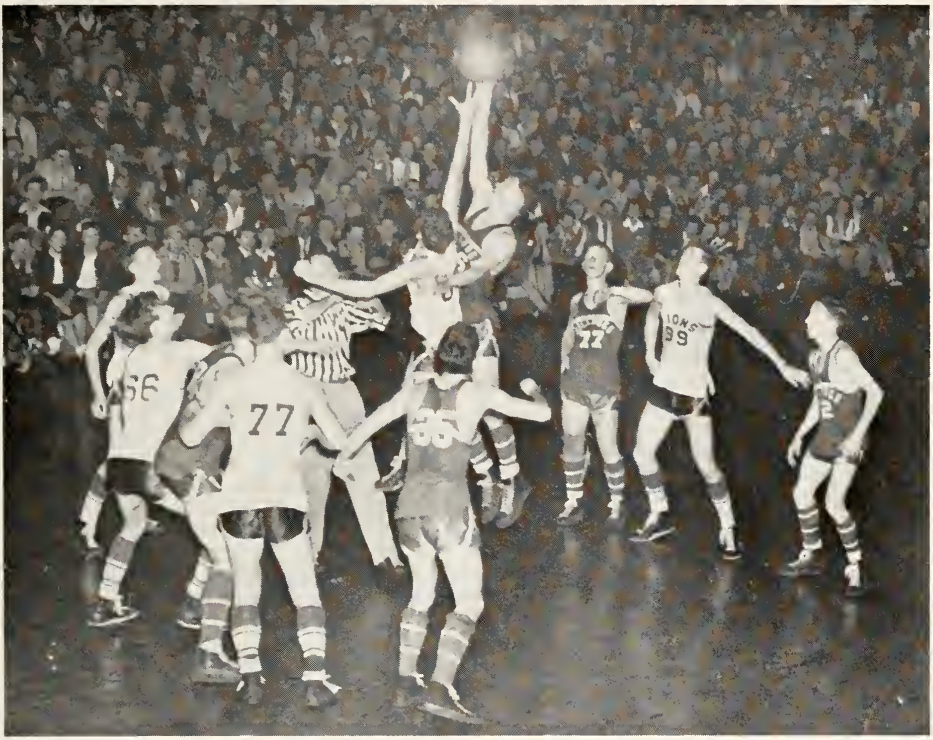
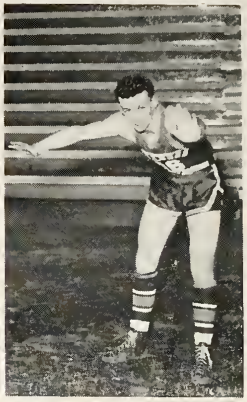


Bulldogs

ELVIN MEYER
Center Senior

"Pancake," our big senior center, has saved many a game by his reliable position as pivot man. He has had three years on the team, was high scorer, and will be greatly missed next year.



JACK BIRT
Forward Senior

"Jackson" can be relied upon for his keen hook shots, coming at strategic moments of a game. With two years on the team, this senior is one of our tough players and his shoes will be hard to fill next year. "Jackson" is at present time in the Marines.

WAYNE STELLHORN
Forward Senior

In the C. C. game "Pinky" proved his athletic ability by scoring 30 points. "Pink" is a senior and has been on the squad for two years. His neat side shots, a life-saver in many games, will be long remembered by New Haven fans.

JOSEPH BOLYARD
Guard Senior

"Joe" is the consistent player of our team, and has not wavered, from his unfailing good playing throughout the year. Joe, a senior and regular for three years, is a tough defensive man and we will miss him next year.

RICHARD ADAMS
Guard Senior

"Dick" is that snappy little guard who has proved invaluable in many games. Besides being the quickest player on the team, he is noted for his fancy "right through the net" long shots. Dick is a senior and will lend his athletic ability to the armed forces after graduation.

LORENZ STEMMLER
Forward Senior

"Cooney" is that mighty senior who makes for a good ball player. He is tough and especially so when his neat lay-in shots baffle the opposing team. He is another member of the squad who is graduating this year.

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Bulldogs

WAYNE JUDT
Guard Senior

"Hoover" has been a regular for three years and is the coolest player on the team. He has pulled the team out of many a tough situation and he will be hard to replace next year.

GEORGE STAUFFER
Forward Junior

"Corkey" is one of the junior members of our team and is really successful on his defensive work. Watch for George's CASSY long shots next year.

TED BUTT
Forward Senior

This was Ted's first year on the team. We call him small but mighty and the coach sends him in when some scrappy, quick playing is needed. Ted is lightning and he never strikes twice in the same place. We are sorry to lose him through graduation this year.

HOWARD BEASLEY
Forward Junior

"Kentucky" has been playing fine ball this season. He will be a reliable man next year, and will be invaluable for his hook shots.

ROLAND ARNOLD
Guard Senior

"Star" is a reliable reserve. He is a fast working guard and seldom becomes riled during a game. Arnold is another senior and will proceed to give the Axis powers a headache after graduation.

ROBERT SCHRAGE
Guard Junior

"Bob" is that blond junior who has been such a keen help this year. Bob is neat on side shots and will be worth watching next year.

FIRST TEAM

First row—Dick Adams, Roland Arnold, Joe Bolyard, Ted Butt, Wayne Judt.

Second row—Mr. Buffenbargar, Charles Romine, George Stauffer, Wayne Stellhorn, Elvin Meyer, Howard Beasley, Lorenz Stemmler.

	First Team 16 Won—2 Lost		Second Team 14 Won—4 Lost	
Game	We	They	We	They
*Decatur C.	53	31	26	8
Decatur	58	14	37	22
*Monroeville	52	26	28	12
Huntertown	41	38	13	17
*Berne	47	28	19	5
*C. C.	49	17	20	24
*Leo	39	42	26	27
*Woodburn	43	28	26	18
Elmhurst	52	26	22	19
*Auburn	26	39	27	18
*Lay. C.	44	26	25	14
*Decatur	47	22	34	16
Col. City	38	37	21	15
Hoagland	48	36	11	18
Berne	38	36	27	14
Ossian	60	23	26	25
C. C.	37	35	28	20
*Hoagland	53	23	23	21

* Home games.

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SECOND TEAM

First row—Joe Hathaway, Wayne Green, Frank Nowak, Jim Jump, Cornell Adams, Carl Bearman.

Second row—Darwin Klenke, Harold Buhr, Lloyd Thomas, George Stauffer, Howard Beasely, Richard Stuerzenberger, Ed Anweiler.

Third row—Kenneth Augenstein, Leroy Miner, Edward Suttor, Harold Parker, George Spohr, Robert Brincefield, Lavon Miller, Russell McIntosh.

INDIVIDUAL SCORING RECORDS

Elvin Meyer	255
Wayne Stlelhorn	241
Richard Adams	94
Jack Birt	70
Joseph Bolyard	50
Lorenz Stemmler	38
Wayne Judt	35
Ted Butt	23
Roland Arnold	12
George Stauffer	6
Howard Beazley	0
Robert Schrage	0

Bill Hawk, Gloria Heemsoth, and Jerry Vodde.

FOOTBALL

First row—Jim Jump, G. Stauffer, H. Beasely, C. Bearman, C. Adams, F. Nowak, J. Hathaway, J. Glaze. G. Renno, J. Strader, M. Thimlar. Second row—W. Green, N. Oberlin, G. Spohr, L. Miner, D. Klenke, R. Brincefield, P. Ruhl. R. Quance, E. Anweiler. Third row—H. Parker, K. Augenstein, L. Miller, R. Stuerzenberger, E. Suttor, W. Strader, L. Goeglein, J. Henry.

BASEBALL

Front row—L. Stemmler, R. Arnold, W. Judt, J. Bolyard, C. Klenke. Back row—S. Rosswurm. F. Nowak, J. Birt, W. Stellhorn, A. Meyer, J. Hathaway, C. Romine.

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March, April and May

Dear Jack,

We are getting closer to the end of the school year, and the time is going fast for the seniors.

The basketball banquet was held on the 7th and the boys surely did eat. Jack Birt and Pinky ate everything but the tables and chairs. Now I can see why Jack has that spare tire around his waist. Cooney Stemmlar feasted on carrots, celery, and water.

On the 12th, Jack Birt left for the Marines. We will miss him.

The basketball team left for Indianapolis on the 16th to attend the state finals.

On the 16th the band gave a delightful concert. We especially enjoyed the "Victory Garden Suite."

Miss Knull was absent the 21st and 22nd. Many of the boys were seen helping the substitute in any way they could.

The sophomores gave an enjoyable program on the 23rd. The program was highlighted by Carl Bearman, Ed Anweiler, and Corny Adams as the "Andrews Sisters."

The juniors elected their queen and attendants for the prom on the 22nd. Beulah Smith was elected queen and Ruth Schnelker and Charlotte Garwood as attendants. On the 26th the seniors elected Roberta Liggett and Bernice Lepper attendants for the prom.

The annual Easter convocation was on the 29th with Rev. Morris officiating.

The freshmen gave the last class program on April 6. Cleveland P. Grant, who is nationally known, lectured and showed beautifully colored pictures of birds.

The junior-senior prom will be held May 12.

At last, Jack the days are approaching for which we seniors have been awaiting these twelve years. The baccalaureate services will be held on Sunday, May 20, and Commencement will be Friday, May 25.

So long,

Jill

(Jean Hawk)

SAY IT WITH SONGS

Miss Daniels	English	Accentuate the Positive
Mr. Frock	History	Poor Little Rhode Island
Miss Walker	Latin	What Will the Future Say
Miss Royster	Home Ec.	Candy
Mrs. Redman	Chemistry	Keep That Powder Dry
Mrs. Hill	Typing	Take It Easy
Miss Leaird	Bookkeeping	What a Difference a Day Makes
Mr. Pensinger	Shop	Parade of the Wooden Soldiers
Mr. Miller	Band	Say it with Music
Miss Bower	Government	There will be Some Changes Made.
Mr. Downey	Principal	All The Things You Are.
Miss Walters	Art	Blue Skies
Miss Knull	Speech	Speak Low
Mr. Marshall	Math.	I'm Beginning To See The Light
Mr. Burgette	Trustee	There Will Never Be Another You.

Graduates of 1943 and 1944

Class of 1943

Bonnie Adams	I. U. Extension	Marion Lampe	General Electric
Mary J. Albertson-Hall	Housewife and mother	Eugene Lepper	Army
Lois Amstutz	Beauty operator, New Haven, Ind.	Clayton Lewis	Marines
		Edward Long	Navy
Kenneth Bandelier	Farmer	Orville McFadden	Navy
Dorothy Bearman	General Electric	Bruce Masters	Farmer
Paul Bearman	Navy	Lloyd Melcher	Farmer
Roland Bechtol	General Electric	Howard Menking	Marines
Estella Bremer	General Electric	Russell Meyer	Marines
Betty Brennan-Hall	Housewife	Chseter Miller	Navy
June Bolinger	Magnavox	Paul Millman	Wolf and Dessauer
Mildred Bowers (Griffiths)	Home—To be Married Easter	*Max Neidhardt	Killed in action
		Alice Oberlin	General Electric
Richard Beyer	Marines	Evelyn Rebber	Corrugated Paper Co.
Verda Byers	General Electric	Eleanora Rebber	Cadet Nurse, Lutheran
Richard Critchfield	Zollners	Leonora Rebber	Harvester
Alice Doctor	Harvester	Merle Rigby	Army
Ruth Doty	General Electric	Delores Rothgeb-Pfeiffer	
Marlo Gene Felt	Farnsworth	Delores Schlink	Beauty Shop
Carl Fruechtenicht	General Electric	Ethel Schnelker	Telephone Co.
Harry Gantz	Army	Julia Seddlemeyer	Housekeeper
Mary Ellen George	Harvester	Walter Seeman	Army
Anna Lee Groves	Miami University	Helen Stauffer	General Electric
Roy Hart	Navy	Noah Swartz	Army
Henry Hartman	Army	Bonnie Swihart	General Electric
Lois Hathaway-Hoehn	Harvester	Rosie Thomas	Harvester
June Headford	Wittenberg College	Glenna Tustison	Inca Office
Arnold Heller	Navy	Edward Ulmer	Farmer
Frederick Hitzemann	Army Air Corps	Lois Ulrey	General Electric
Joan Hively	General Electric	Max Ward	Army
Richard Hockemeyer	Zollner's	Dallas Weibel	Arm Air Corps
Mary Belle Hodson	Housewife	Evelyn Wetzel	
Virginia Hutson	Ball State Teachers Col.	Gloria Wiegmann	Harvester
Robert Kain	Army	William Shite	Navy
Edward Koester	Navy	Marjorie Willet	
Carolyn Kollman-Craig	Housewife and mother	Charles Winans	Navy
Maurice Krauskopf	Farmer	Howard Zelt	Navy
Florence Ladig	Gardener's Drive In		

Class of 1944

Janus Bales-Franc	Housewife	Ruby Long	Harvester Office
Virgil Asher	Army Air Corps	Gene Louden	At home
Kenneth Barhydt	Army	John Meyers	Army
Harold Bleke	Farmer	Norma Milliman-Schleys	Housewife
Jo Ann Bandelier	Casad Ordnance Depot	Dale Millington	Army
Elna Becker	Farnsworth Office	Donald Minick	Army
Elsie Bockelman	General Electric	Mildred Nuttle	Arco Transformer Co.
Dorothy Boyd	Wolf and Dessauer	Bruce Oliver	Beuter-Chevrolet
*Bernard Brames	Killed in action, Jan. '45	Joyce Oliver	Johnson's Dime Store
Helen Clark	Moved to Indianapolis	Virginia Parks	Kollman Case
Edward Critchfield	Army	Clara Ransome	Grand Leader
Leon DeRemer	Army	Betty Rathbun	Harvester
Delores Disler	Wayne Tailoring	Vernon Rebber	Farmer
Devon Frane	Studebaker	LaDonna Robinette	Casad Ordnance Depot
Marilyn Franke	Harvester	Virginia Schlaudroff	Perfection
Melvin Frosch	Farmer	James Schnelker	Farmer
Coletta Gerardot	Magnavox	Rosalie Schnelker	Harvester
Maxine Girardot	Casad Ordnance Depot	Lawrence Scrogham	Navy
William Goeglein	Army Air Corps	Russell Schweyer	Army
Cecil Green	Army	Margaret Seelig	Farnsworth
Elsie Glass	Nurse's Train., Methodist	Barbara Seibert	Johnson's Dime Store
Waldemar Heller	Navy	Marcile Springer	Graduate Beauty College
Gaylord Heine	Farmer	Donald Stellhorn	Army Air Corps
Jay Hodson	Army	Lamont Stoneburner	Wayne Pump
Betty Kuhl	Harvester	Alice Tieman	Army
Evelyn Kain	Allen County Co-op.	Alma Vodde	Magnavox
Rose Edna Kain	Allen County Co-op.	Alvena Wagstaff	Western Reserve Cleveland
Orilla Lake	At home	Pauline Werling-Jump	
Jean Larson	Nurse's Training	Elizabeth White	Cadet Nurse, Methodist
Delores Lange	Harvester	Walter Wiegmann	Farmer